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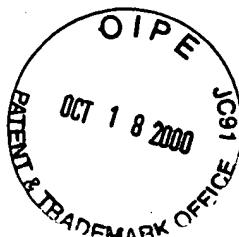


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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PATENT
Docket No. 10551/53
Serial No. 09/602,013

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : Ronald D. BLUM, et al.
Serial No. : 09/602,013
Filed : June 23, 2000
For : SYSTEM, APPARATUS, AND METHOD FOR
CORRECTING VISION USING AN ELECTRO-
ACTIVE LENS
Art Unit : 2871
Examiner : To be assigned

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ATTENTION: BOX MISSING PARTS

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
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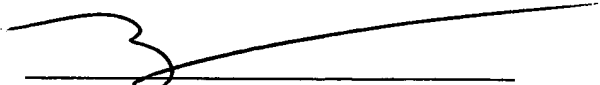
In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application", mailed in the above-cited application on October 11, 2000, Applicant encloses an Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney duly signed by the inventors which was previously filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) on August 22, 2000. A copy of the postcard showing the date filed by PTO is also attached.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 11-0600 any required fees as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.16 or §1.17. A copy of this response is enclosed for these purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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